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In the application of:

Steven Teig, et al.

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For: NON-RECTLINEAR POLYGONAL  
VIAS

Examiner: <not yet assigned>

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

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Dear Sir:

In complete response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated 2/28/02,  
attached please find:

1. Notice to File Corrected Application Papers – Part 2; Non-Rectilinear Polygonal Vias.
2. 59 sheets of corrected drawings as set forth in 35 CFR 1.84.
3. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time.
4. A Credit Card Payment form;
5. A Return Receipt Post Card.

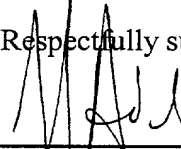
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The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-1128** referencing SPLX.P0078.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS


*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because.
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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